

medley**1. ['medli] n**

1. 1) смесь; месиво, мешанина

to make a medley of smth. - перемешать что-л, сделать мешанину из чего-л.

a medley of different ideas - каша /мешанина/ из разных идей

2) смешение

a medley of races - смешение народов

a medley of all kinds of people - разношёрстная толпа

2. *муз.* попури3. «всякая всячина», «смесь» (*отдел в газете*)4. пёстрая ткань (*сотканная из нитей разных цветов*)5. *уст.* битва, схватка (*особ. рукопашная*)**2. ['medli] a**

смешанный; разнородный; пёстрый

3. ['medli] v

смешивать, перемешивать

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med·ley [**medley medleys**] *BrE* ['medli] ^m *NAmE* ['medli] ^m **noun****1.** a piece of music consisting of several songs or tunes played or sung one after the other

• a medley of Beatles hits

2. a mixture of people or things of different kinds• a **medley of flavours/smells**

• The building was a medley of styles from different periods.

3. a swimming race in which each member of a team uses a different stroke

• the 4×100 metres medley

Word Origin:Middle English (denoting hand-to-hand combat, also cloth made of different coloured wool): from Old French **medlee**, variant of **meslee** 'melee', based on medieval Latin **misculare** 'to mix'; compare with †**meddle**.**medley**

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med·ley /'medli/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m **noun** [countable][**Date:** 1300-1400; **Language:** Old French; **Origin:** medlee, from medler; ⇔ †**meddle**]**1.** a group of songs or tunes sung or played one after the other as a single piece of music**medley of**

• He played a medley of Beatles songs.

2. [usually singular] a mixture of different types of the same thing which produces an interesting or unusual effect**medley of**

• an exotic medley of smells

• a medley of architectural styles

3. a swimming race in which the competitors swim using four different †**strokes**:

• the 400 metres individual medley

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